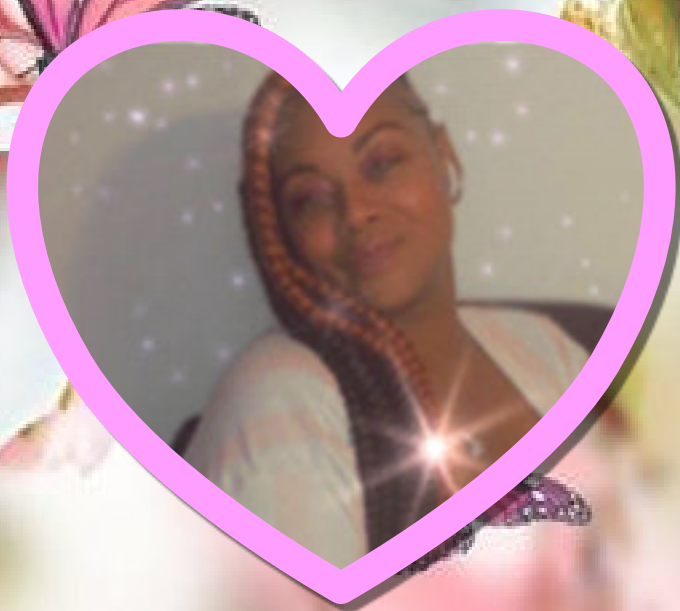


Celebrating The Life of
Yashika F. Johnson

Sunrise:
June 20, 1979

Sunset:
October 2, 2021



THURSDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2021 - 2:00 P.M.

Cotton Funeral Service

130 Main Street • Orange, New Jersey

Officiating, Rev. Deborah Blow

Eulogist, Rev. Vanessa Nero, Pastor

Glorious Hope Missionary Baptist Church

Elizabeth, NJ

Obituary

Yashika F. Johnson was born on June 20, 1979 in Newark, NJ to father Willis Nero and mother the late Adrienne Johnson.

Yashika was raised in Newark, NJ and graduated from West Side High School. Yashika worked at several jobs that included: Bus Driving, a Dental Office, St. Barnabas Medical Center, and FedEx.

Yashika enjoyed spending time with family (especially her grandson Ki'er), having a good time, and eating out. She will be known for her wonderful smile, personality, and laughter.

Yashika leaves to cherish in her loving memory; one daughter Nydazia Johnson and grandson Ki'er Arrington, father Messiah Arrington; two brothers John Johnson (Rachel Johnson) & Yamean Durnelle (Kate Durnelle); four sisters Victoria Nero, Vanelle Mars (Musah Mars), Aqueelah DeShong, and Cassandra Williams. Yashika also leaves behind Grandmother Viola Ellen Johnson, Step-mom Vanessa Nero, a host of aunts, an uncle, nieces, nephews, cousins, special friends: Rasheed, Amanda, and Moire', more friends, and church family. She will be joining her late Grandfather Wilbert Johnson Sr. and late Grandma Betty Chouloute.

Order of Service

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Shanda Johnson-Toler
St. Matthews AME Church
Old Testament – Psalms 66:16-20
New Testament – John 14:1-4

PRAYER OF COMFORT

Pastor Brian Rawls

SELECTION

Co-Pastor Tamill Robinson
Glorious Hope Missionary Baptist Church

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF CONDOLENCES & READING OF THE OBITUARY

Minister Michelle Dixon

REFLECTIONS/REMARKS (Please limit to 2min each)

POEM

SELECTION

Co-Pastor Tamill Robinson

EULOGY

Pastor Vanessa Nero

COMMITTAL

Cremation
Rosedale Crematory
Orange, NJ

A SILENT TEAR

Just close your eyes and you will see
All the memories that you have of me
Just sit and relax and you will find
I'm really still there inside your mind
Don't cry for me now I'm gone
For I am in the land of song
There is no pain, there is no fear
So dry away that silent tear
Don't think of me in the dark and cold
For here I am, no longer old
I'm in that place that's filled with love
Known to you all, as "UP ABOVE"



Acknowledgement

*The family of the late **Yashika Johnson** acknowledges with sincere appreciation, your understanding, your prayers, and all acts of kindness shown at this time of bereavement.*

Acknowledgements will be sent at a later date.

God bless you all!!

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